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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2144
PATENT**

Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 06753.0386-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Hajime ITO et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2144
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Application No. 09/699,371)	Examiner: Hernandez, O.
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Filed: October 31, 2000)	Confirmation No. 7820
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VEHICLE THEREWITH)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 29, 2004, and pursuant to
37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper,
beginning on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper, beginning on
page 9.